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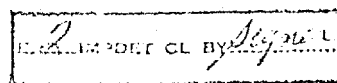
1. (Unclassified - THW) LIAISON I called Marian Czarnecki, Chief of Staff on the House International Relations Committee, and mentioned that Tom Smeeton, on the staff of the Committee, John Holstein, on the staff of the Committee's Subcommittee on International Political and Military Affairs, and Ed Fox, on the staff of the Committee's Special Subcommittee on Future Foreign Policy Research and Development, had approached me at the hearing on 12 November and had requested information and briefings. I told Czarnecki that we were willing to provide the items requested but wanted him to know about the request. He stated that he is attempting to set up a system to protect classified information provided by the Agency to the Committee and its various subcommittees and that if various members of the staff ignored this system he could not guarantee the security of our information. I told him we would be happy to abide by whatever he decided. He stated that he would speak with Representative Thomas E. Morgan (D., Pa.), Chairman of the Committee, and Representative William Broomfield (R., Mich.), Vice Chairman of the Committee, and get back to me.

2. (Unclassified - THW) INTELLIGENCE BRIEFING Rick Gilmore, on the staff of the Subcommittee on Multinational Corporations, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, called and said that the briefing for Senator Dick Clark (D., Iowa) scheduled for later in the day had to be postponed and he would call me back and let me know the details later. He called back and said that Senator Clark had decided not to make the trip for personal reasons and that therefore the briefing was to be cancelled.

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3. (Unclassified - RC) HEARINGS Dropped a sanitized copy of the 9 June 1964 memo to the DCI concerning [redacted] to James Michie's, Investigator, on the Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure, Senate Judiciary Committee, office.

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16. [ ] ADMINISTRATIVE Dennis Clift, NSC staff, called concerning a letter Senator George McGovern (D., S. Dak.) sent to the President objecting to Agency activities [ ] Clift is preparing a reply to Senator McGovern. I advised him of the Director's note to Lt. Gen. Brent Scowcroft, Deputy Assistant for National Security Affairs, reporting Senator McGovern's views and suggested that Clift consult with Gen. Scowcroft before responding.

17. [ ] ADMINISTRATIVE Called William Kendall, White House staff, about Senator James Abourezk's (D., S. Dak.) amendment to the Defense Appropriation bill. He said he was on his way up to the Hill right now and would keep me posted if it came up.

18. [ ] BRIEFING [ ] OCI, called to advise that [ ] OSR, had called Don Lynch, Senate Armed Services Committee staff, and it was decided the best thing to do would be to invite Mr. Lynch out to Headquarters to discuss the Soviet Navy. I told [ ] I would try to set this up for Wednesday, 19 November.

19. [ ] ADMINISTRATIVE Ellie Voghtman, ~~Senate Foreign Relations Committee~~ staff, called concerning the 6 November briefing of the Committee by Mr. Joseph Sisco, Under Secretary of State. She said she called Mr. Sisco's office and asked for a chart which is to be inserted in the transcript and they told her we had it. I told her we did.

I talked with Pat Holt, Staff Director, Senate Foreign Relations Committee and told him the Director was concerned about the sensitivity of the information in the chart. Holt said they just want it put in the record. I said we would put it in the record and hold it here like we usually do.

20. [ ] LEGISLATION Jim Oliver, OMB, called and asked that he be immediately notified when the Agency's CIARDS package is submitted to the Congress.

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10. (Unclassified - THW) LIAISON I dropped by the office of Dick White, Administrative Assistant to Representative Dale Milford (D., Texas), and chatted with him about the breakfast meeting of Milford and Director Colby and others. We also discussed general details of a follow-up meeting.

11. (Unclassified - THW) LIAISON Picked up from Jim Michie, Investigator for the Senate Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure, Committee on the Judiciary, a package of material which [ ] had asked me to pick up.

12. (Unclassified - WPB) LIAISON Received a call from Jim Shields, Legislative Assistant to Representative James Santini (D., Nev.), who requested material on East German budget. [ ] OCI, has been advised.

13. (Unclassified - DFM) HEARINGS Called Paul Hoff, on the Senate Government Operations Committee staff, to let him know that the House Intelligence Committee's congressional oversight hearings had been indefinitely postponed, and to get the names of all the staffers who participated in our 12 November meeting.

14. (Unclassified - JMD) LIAISON Called Karin Lissakers, Senate Foreign Relations Subcommittee on Multinational Corporations staff, and advised her we did not have the 3 January 1973 issue of Canard Enchaîne. I suggested she try the Library of Congress and she said she had already done this without success.

15. (Unclassified - JMD) LIAISON Called Carolyn Groves, in the office of Representative George O'Brien (R., Ill.), and advised her that General Walters would be happy to tape a radio show with Representative O'Brien and also Representative Clair Burgener (R., Calif.). A time was set for Monday, 17 November at 1:00 in the House Recording Studio, B 310 Rayburn House Office Building.

16. (Unclassified - GLC) LIAISON Mr. Thuermer suggested that [ ] would be the best person to speak to the Rotary Club of Bridgeton, New Jersey, who requested a speaker from the CIA to talk to them about the Agency.

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7. (Internal Use Only - LLM) LIAISON Called Edward Mulcahy, Deputy Assistant Secretary of African Affairs, Department of State, and brought him up-to-date on our arrangements on the briefing of Representative Charles Diggs (D., Mich.), Chairman of the Subcommittee on International Resources, Food and Energy, House International Relations Committee.

8. (Internal Use Only - LLM) LIAISON Called Lefty Anderson, Chief, Investigations and Survey Staff, House Appropriations Committee, concerning the Investigation Staff's request of DIA for a list of NIE's and said the Director would prefer to provide this information directly to the staff and that he felt they should also review other memoranda which serve the same purpose. Anderson agreed with this approach and will alert [redacted] (Head of DIA Investigation Staff) to expect the material directly from us. The information was transmitted to [redacted] later in the day.

9. (Internal Use Only - LLM) BRIEFING In connection with the briefing of Representative Edward Koch (D., N.Y.) on the situation in the Middle East, arrangements were made with [redacted] for [redacted] NIO/ME, and [redacted] OSR, to present the briefing on Friday, 14 November at 9:30 a.m.

10. (Unclassified - RC) ADMINISTRATIVE - DELIVERIES Delivered to Senator John Sparkman's (D., Ala.) office a letter from the DCI concerning a possible leak from the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. Copies of the same letter were delivered to Senator John L. McClellan (D., Ark.) and Senator John C. Stennis (D., Miss.). Left a copy of the follow-up material of a briefing on the Middle East with Marian A. Czarnecki, Chief of Staff, of the House Committee on International Relations. Czarnecki was to return the documents along with the Congressional Check List that same afternoon. Also, left one part of the same material with George R. Berdes, Consultant, on the Subcommittee on International Security & Scientific Affairs. Left a copy of the Soviet aid to Syria for Michael H. Van Dusen, Consultant, Special Subcommittee on Investigations.

11. (Unclassified - PLC) LIAISON Jim Michie, staff member, Senate Judiciary Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure, called and requested certain additional information for the Subcommittee. (See Memo for the Record)

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28. [Redacted] ADMINISTRATIVE Attempted to reach Lefty Anderson, Investigations and Surveys Subcommittee, House Appropriations Committee, but he was not in.

29. [Redacted] BRIEFING Leslie Yates, Consultant, House International Relations Subcommittee on International Resources, Food & Energy, called and said they had held hearings last Wednesday on Angola at which State Department officials were present. She said some political issues came up and State said they did not feel free to go into detail in an open session but would be happy to do so in executive session. Chairman Charles Diggs (D., Mich.) wants to have a closed joint briefing with State and CIA as early as possible. She said they are trying to arrange this for tomorrow afternoon and State has said that would be fine with them. I told her there wasn't a chance of our being able to do this tomorrow and also said I wanted to be clear on what she wanted -- a briefing on the situation in Angola. [Redacted] (R., N.Y.) [Redacted]

[Redacted] She said they have to know the magnitude of the war and that kind of thing. I said I would have to check Mr. Colby's calendar and I would also have to check with Marian Czarnecki, Staff Director, House International Relations Committee, because Chairman Thomas Morgan (D., Pa.) has always asked that we clear any Subcommittee briefings with him. She said the meeting would consist only of the Subcommittee members and staff personnel who have the proper clearances, but members of the full Committee would also be invited. I said I would get back in touch with her.

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19. [REDACTED] BRIEFING Called Marian Czarnecki, Chief of Staff, House International Relations Committee, concerning the interest of Representative Edward Koch (D., N.Y.) on receiving a briefing on the Middle East. Mr. Koch does not have any relationship with the House International Relations Committee, although he could be invited to the Wednesday briefing by unanimous consent.

20. [REDACTED] LIAISON Called Elly Vogtmann, ~~Senate Foreign Relations Committee~~ staff, and told her that the 6 November 1975 transcript of the briefing was here. She asked that it be delivered to her on Wednesday morning. Arrangements were made with the OCI couriers to deliver it to Ms. Vogtmann.

21. [REDACTED] LIAISON Called Ralph Preston, Defense Subcommittee, House Appropriations Committee staff, and received assurances that the Committee would be able to provide protection for Agency documents.

22. [REDACTED] LIAISON Called the office of Leroy Goldman, Senate Labor and Public Welfare Subcommittee on Labor staff member, and informed his secretary that he had been granted a secret clearance effective today.

23. [REDACTED] LIAISON Marian Czarnecki, Chief of Staff, House International Relations Committee, called and asked that we pick up the transcripts of the Director's briefings of the Subcommittee on Oversight on covert action. Czarnecki said they "have not been reviewed yet" and he would like them picked up as soon as possible. I said someone would stop by for them this morning.

24. [REDACTED] ADMINISTRATIVE Called John M. Maury, Department of Defense, Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, and advised him of the call I received from Chuck Snodgrass, House Appropriations Committee staff, asking to speak to someone about "net assessments." I told Maury I understood DOD handles that now and asked Maury if I should refer Snodgrass to either Andy Marshall, in Maury's office, or him. Maury suggested I have Snodgrass call him.

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